STATE OF NEW YORK

LEGISLATURE OF ERIE COUNTY BUFFALO, N.Y., JANUARY 5, 2023, A.D.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT at a regular session of the Legislature of Erie County held in the County Hall in the City of Buffalo, on the 5th day of January 2023 A.D., a resolution was adopted, of which the following is a true copy:

Recognizing and Honoring John Wanat for his Service to the Town of Cheektowaga

WHEREAS, John Wanat is retiring from the Cheektowaga Police force after twenty-three years of service; and

WHEREAS, John Wanat began his law enforcement career as an officer on patrol before becoming a member of the FBI Task Force for eighteen months early in his tenure; and

WHEREAS, John Wanat has spent the last thirteen years as a supervisor in the department; and

WHEREAS, John Wanat also served the community as a volunteer firefighter and was employed by the New York State Department of Corrections during his career; and

WHEREAS, John Wanat has enjoyed making a positive difference in the community over the past twenty-three years; and

WHEREAS, John Wanat will continue to serve the community in his new role as the Cheektowaga Town Justice with his term beginning in January, 2023...

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Erie County Legislature pauses in its deliberations to honor **John Wanat** for his twenty-three years of service with the Cheektowaga Police Department and wishes him continued success as the Cheektowaga Town Justice.

FRANK J. TODARO

Erie County Legislator, District 8